

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
David L. Patton, et al

Group Art Unit: 2624  
Confirmation No.: 3498  
Examiner: Ge, Yuzhen

**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
MODIFYING A PORTION OF AN IMAGE  
FRAME IN ACCORDANCE WITH  
COLORIMETRIC PARAMETERS**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114

(a)  Previously submitted  
 Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously filed on  
 Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on  
 Other  
(b)  Enclosed  
 Amendment/Reply  
 Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)  
 Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)  
 Other

2. Miscellaneous

(a)  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) of a period of months.. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months: Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)  
(b)  Other

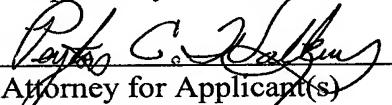
3. Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16, or credit any overpayments to Eastman Kodak Company Deposit Account No. 05-0225.

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RCE fee required under 37 CFR § 1.17(e)  
 Extension of time fee (37 CFR § 1.136 and 1.117)

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